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IN RE APPLICATION OF

ART UNIT: 1618

MARTIN PRUSCHY

EXAMINER: SHIRLEY V. GEMBEH

APPLICATION NO: 10/549,978

FILED: MARCH 12, 2004

FOR: TREATMENT OF PROLIFERATIVE DISEASES WITH EPOTHILONE  
DERIVATIVES AND RADIATION

**MS: Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated October 20, 2008, response due January 20, 2008, here extended three months by simultaneously-filed Petition for Extension of Time to be due on April 20, 2009, kindly enter the following response.

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